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That for coolness and nerve
And demands that run dear,
Incle Sam is a little eccentric, which the
term's not a bit too severe!

Ah, Sam is his name,
And quite ready I am
To admit that his aim
Is to make me "stand Sam"—
But his bill is a trifle expensive, and I don'
care to pay for that same.

Which I'd fain see a way
For to smooth down his pride.
And I'm ready to pay
For his friendship beside.
ovided he'll trade in them notions—but his
mouth musn't open too wide!

Which of course there's a touch
Of kindred I feel.
And I'm game to do much
His feelings to heal—
But his vanity's so everlasting, it wants too
much plaster a deal!

So the treaty's a freet.

BOOKS BOUND AND MANUFACTURED, from a PAMPHER to the risker mock in the country, the Eastern market not excepted in quality or price. So the treaty's a frost,
Which I greatly deplore,
Time and trouble are lest,
As might make a chap swore;
And Sam-well, you see, he'll get nothing,
all along of his asking for more.

Why is why, I affirm—
And my language is fair—
That, although he may "squirm,"—
And although he may "rair"—
Don't he very much wish he may get
Which I don't think as likely he air!

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enough to have turned most men's heads, and Edward Everett commented on this has a striking peculiarity in Brooks that it did not turn his head. But Helmhold was bewildered by success. He spent enormous sums in a wasteful manner. His dashing turn-out at Long Branch excited the envy and admiration of fashion-worshippers, and in Central Park his equipage also commanded attention. His diamond breast-pin and his luxurious life were the witnesses of a weak vanity and pride of purse. The weak vanity and pride of purse. The strike of recorners to the social and domestic side. He has a noble wife and one child, and a quiet home in Washod ist has been moved from 22 Jeferson street to 270% Main street, up stairs, in the rooms formerly occupied by G. W. L. Crook. Correspondents and others will take notice, and direct their letters accordingly. We issue he wester copies. The Mathodist is a

bis luxurious life were the witnesses of a weak vanity and pride of purse. The tide of prosperity, like all other tides, had its limit, and then came the obb. For this he was not prepared, and bankruptcy soon followed. Some months ago I saw his shattered and exhausted countenance and his frail form standing in the porch of what once was his palace of pharmacy. He fooked dazed and dreamy, like one who hardly woke to the reality. Now they say he is in Europe, seeking restoration of health. It is more than probable that he will return in his coffin. I have seen this thing repeated more than once. I remember the "patent mediaine Comstocks" and their grand equipage, who after their failure were in due time followed by Sarsaparilla Townsend, who made a great fortune, and then likewise came out poor. Now we have Helmbold to point a moral and adorn a tale.

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CARL SCHURZ.

Washington Cor. New York World. position he soon resigned to receive the appointment of brigadier general of volunteers. He was engaged at the second battle of Bull Run, and at the battles of Chancellorsville, Gettysburg and Chattanooga. After the war he was appointed a commissioner to visit the Southern States and report upon the affairs of the Freedmen's bu-reau. In 1865 and 1866 he was a reau. In 1865 and 1866 he was a Washington correspondent of the New York Tribune, and he was subsequently connected with the press of Detroit and St. Louis. He was a delegate to the Chicago Convention of 1868, and was elected to the United States Senate to succeed Henderson. He took his seat March 4, 1869, and his term of service will expire March 3, 1875. His career as a Senator may have said to have just herein.

Physically he is tall, sinewey, and lean. His physiognomy is pure Teu-tonic. A fair forehead, under dark-brown, carelessly combed hair; sallow cheeks; a sharply-cut nose, with deep indentations above flaring nostrils; a reddish mustache and a reddish beard, pretty closely trimmed; a strong jaw, and lips that can smile sweetly or curl into a sneer like Mephistophiles's own,

adversary is speaking by a mean pre-tence of being engaged in letter-writing, or the examination of pa-pers; on the courary, it seems natu-ral to Senator Schurz to preserve the demeanor of a gentleman toward all his The size of these creatures may be associates at all times. This politeness on his part doubtless has its influence, in conjunction with the fascination of

ing about his vitals without having any serious effect upon his constitution. Yesterday afternoon he was taken so was purchased by Stewart, who pulled it down in order to make room for his palace. Thus the butterflies of success come and go, while the moral of the scene is thus gathered by.

Under the influence of the medicine he Graphic Sketch of the Missouri recovered so far as to be able at 8 o'clock a.m. to bite Topping. His night was PUBLIC LEDGER! Carl Schurz, the central figure of the debate on the "arms question," is not yet forty-three years old. He was born at Liblar, near Cologne, Germany, March 2, 1829, and was educated at the collegate institution in Cologne, as a cologne, as a cologne, as a cologne in cologne, as a cologne in cologne in cologne, as a cologne in at Liblar, near Cologne, Germany, March 2, 1829, and was educated at the collegiate institution in Cologne, and afterward at the University of Bohn. He was editor of a paper identified with the revolution of 1848. He took part in the defense of Rastadt, after which he field to Switzerland. Subsequently he resided in Paris and Loudon, where he was a teacher and a newspaper correspondent for three years. He emigrated to this country in 1852. In 1860 he was a delegate to the Chicago convention, taking a leading part in its proceedings. He was selected by President Lincoln, in 1852 and the collegate to the Chicago convention. **Printing Establishment** spondent for three years.

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died. He behaved throughout with a decent fortitude, equanimity and self-possession, which could not be too much admired. I deeply regret that being in ignorance of his danger I did not attend to receive his last instructions. Some-thing remarkable about his eyes occa-sioned Topping to run for the doctor at twelve o'clock. When they returned to-gether our friend was gone. It was the medical geutleman who informed me of his disease. He did it with great cau-tion and delicacy, preparing me by the remark that a "jolly queer start had taken place.

Gail Hamilton.

Miss Grundy writes from Washington:
Among our winter visitors is Gail Hamilton, who spends several months at a time as the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Blaine, wife of the speaker of the heuse. As is well known, the real name of this clever writer is Abigail Dodge. She is a native of Wenham, a small town about twenty miles from Boston, but her home is in Hamilton, Massachusetts. The abproviation of her given name and the pretty closely trimmed; a strong jaw, and lips that can smile sweetly or carl into a sneer like Mephistophiles's own, and cyessingularly expressive and piercing—these are the features of Carl Shurz. Between 11 and 12 every forenoon he walks up the avenue to the capitol with a heavy overcoat wrapped around him, his left hand holding its folds together over his chest, and his right hand awinging a Malacea cane.

In the senate, divested of his overcoat, his figure appears the more lithe and slender. His movements are in striking contrast with the slow, formal, and studied movements of many of the older senators, being full of nervous vivacity and grace. His manner is courtesy itself. Generally, his first business after taking his seat appears to be the wiping of his spectacles with a spotless hand kerchief. By the time this little thing is done, the senator has, in a series of swift glances surveyed the chamber, galleries and all; and many are the imperceptible signs of personal recognition which flash from his keen eyes. In the time of debate he is a careful istener. He never insults an adversary while that adversary is speaking by a mean pretence of being engaged in letter-

HELMBOLD.

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N.Y. Letter to Rochester Dem. and Chronicle
Bankruptey is a commercial death
from which there is sometimes a resurrection. I am inclined, however, is
think that this Helmbold affair is accompanied by no such hope. Helmbold,
in other words, is effectually killed. I
do not mention this as news, but simply
to make a few comments. As the old
song goes, "While he lived, he lived is
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